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This paper is a request for a continuation under 37 CFR §1.53(d) of:

Applicant: Paul E. Massod
Title: VERIFICATION PROCESS FOR DRY CLEANERS AND THE LIKE

Prior U.S. application no: 09/334,574
Filing Date: June 21, 1999

The prior application was complete as defined by 37 CFR §1.51(b), or was a national stage of an international application filed in compliance with 35 USC §371.

This request for a CPA is the reference to the prior application noted above as required by 35 USC §120. Kindly abandon the prior application in favor of the continued proceedings that are requested herein.

Kindly enter the unentered amendment which was previously filed on September 26, 2001, but was not entered in the prior prosecution of this case.

This request includes 2 sheets.

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— Postcard.

The entire disclosure of the prior application is part of this application and is incorporated by reference.

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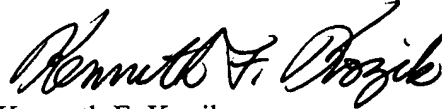
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